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PROVINCIAL AUTONOMY.

To the Editor of the Times,

(CONTINUED FROM LAST ISSUE)

On the 22nd March, 1870, our delegates

started for Ottawa. When they arrived

there, they were received by the Govern-

ment in the capacity of delegates from the

North West, and transacted our business,

first with Sir John A. Macdonald and Sir

George E. Cartier, the two ministers who

were authorized to that effect by the Fed-

eral Government.

On the 26th April, 1870, the negotia-

tions were opened by the taking into con-

sideration the Bill of Rights brought to

Ottawa by our delegates and upon which

with a few alterations we afterwards con-

sented to enter the Confederation.

Now, the question often arises, what

did we, the people of the North West and

superior's Land ask Canada for in 1870, and

what did we receive that caused us to

consent to enter the Confederation.

We asked in the 1st clause of our Bill

of Rights, "That the Territories hereto-

fore known as Rupert's Land and the

North West shall not enter into the Con-

federation of the Dominion, except as a

province to be styled and known as the

Province of Assiniboia and with all the

rights and privileges common to the differ-

ent Provinces of the Dominion."

We asked in the 10th clause,

"That the largest of the Hudson's Bay

Company in the respect to this country to

be Government of this country to be the

Dominion of Canada to be styled, so far as

it interferes with the rights of the people

of Assiniboia and so far as it would affect

our future relations with Canada."

We asked in the 11th clause,

"That the Local Legislature of Assin-

iboia shall have full control over all the

public lands of the Province and the right

to annul all acts or arrangements made or

entered into with reference to the public

lands of Rupert's Land and the North

West, now called the Province of Assin-

iboia."

We asked in the 23rd clause,

"That the North West Territory shall

never be held liable for any portion of the

\$200,000, paid to the Hudson's Bay

Company or for any portion of the public

debt of Canada as it stands at the time of

our entering the Confederation and if

thereafter we be called upon to assume

our share of said public debt, we consent

only, on condition that we first be allowed

the amount for which we shall be held

liable."

These were only some of our requests,

it would take too much space to print all.

Now that followed. As soon as our

delegates were received at Ottawa, the

Ministry there made out a List of Rights

themselves different from ours, which they

proposed to place before Parliament, and

submitted it to our delegates, but our

delegates refused the ministerial list and

said, "You are not to propose the terms

of treaty to us, we are sent here by cer-

tain instructions and you must hear us."

Our delegates then urged upon the

ministry the adoption of our Bill of Rights

but the ministers told them that they

could not take the responsibility of intro-

ducing a bill into Parliament which

would embrace all the articles specified

in the list. The ministers then drew up

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CUMBERLAND.

In another column will be found a very interesting article descriptive of the District of Cumberland. This district lies to the east of Prince Albert and takes in a small portion of the eastern part of the town, and is one of the most important of the districts tributary to it. It comprises a very large area of country, the western portion of which is a beautiful rolling prairie, with abundance of wood and good water, and is well adapted for agriculture, stock raising and sheep ranching. The great Saskatchewan River traverses this district from west to east, and is navigable the whole of the distance. This district abounds in mineral deposits. Coal and iron deposits have been found within a few miles of Prince Albert, and very valuable amber mines near Grand Rapids on the Saskatchewan River. It is also rich as a fur bearing district. Large quantities of the most valuable furs are sent out yearly from the eastern portion of this district, and like the Prince Albert has abundance of wild fruits, game of all kinds and fish consisting principally of whitefish, trout, pickerel, andurgeon of which large quantities are caught and exported. The climate is bracing and healthy, and like the district to which it is tributary, free from blizzards and violent snow storms.

MANITOBA AND NORTH-WESTERN R.R.

For several years the people of this part of the North West have looked forward with anxiety and hope to the speedy completion of the Manitoba & Northwestern Railroad, but like clouds in a dry season, these hopes have only arisen to pass away again and again, and unless some aid be given this road, similar to that given to the Long Lake and Saskatchewan railroads, its extension and completion is still in the distant future. During the past year, a large number of settlers have located in the district of Stony Creek, about 80 miles south-east of here, and along the proposed route of the M. & N.W.R.R., having been led to believe that this road would be pushed through as rapidly as possible, in fact, last year it was definitely stated that the M. & N.W.R.R. had secured the necessary funds and that it would reach Prince Albert early in 1903. We have already entered upon the year 1903, and still the road is no nearer completion now than two years ago, and is not likely to be extended any this year. This is a very serious matter to a very large number of settlers, so that something must be done, and that without delay, or many of those who have been induced to locate at and near Stony Creek will be forced to remove elsewhere.

It is the duty of the Federal Government to immediately take such steps as will secure the rapid completion of the road to Prince Albert. Many of those who took up homesteads are 80 to 100 miles from any market, so that the raising of grain for market by these settlers, is entirely out of the question. New settlers particularly require to raise some grain for sale to enable them to meet small liabilities that they must necessarily incur for the support of their families.

Stock raising is one of the leading industries of the people along the line of the M. & N.W.R.R., but it is necessary for settlers to get a surplus stock of at least two or three years of age, before such stock is at all profitable. The settlers throughout the whole of this part of the Saskatchewan district have been led to believe that this line of road would be immediately pushed forward, but its completion seems to still be in the distant future.

When the charter was granted this company by the Federal Government 30 miles a year had to be completed. Three years ago this was reduced to 20 miles a year, and now the company is asking not to be forced to build over the 20 miles. Their is one

thing that all railway companies should be required to do and that is to keep reasonable faith with settlers of the country. The settlers of Stony Creek and Carrot River districts, through which the M. & N.W.R.R. will run are getting discouraged and disheartened, and will ultimately lead to discontent. This road should receive from the Federal Government such assistance as will lead to the immediate completion of the road. In the Stony Creek and Carrot River districts are very extensive tracts of the most fertile land in the Northwest and particularly adapted to mixed farming. It is likely that during the coming season a large number of immigrants will locate in those districts if there is any certainty of the M. & N.W.R.R. being pushed forward at an early date. The immigration policy of the Dominion is now becoming more and more aggressive and such is necessary to fully develop and people this great western country. While immigration is being rapidly and successfully pushed forward, every effort should be made to make the new settlers happy and contented, and to do so, what we need in this district is good railway facilities, so that every settler may have a good market for his products within reasonable access of his home.

We trust that the Federal Government will meet the present emergency and render such assistance to the M. & N.W.R.R. as will enable its immediate completion to Prince Albert.

MILL BONUS.

On Saturday, the 25th inst., at the Town Hall, the vote for the granting of \$3,000 as a bonus for the erection of a first class Patent Roller Process Flour Mill will be voted on. All persons assessed on the last revised assessment will for \$400 in their own right as freeholders have a right to vote. This is an important matter and should receive the most serious consideration of every ratepayer entitled to vote thereon. Remember the vote will be taken at the Town Hall on Saturday 25th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Goodfellow have the sympathy of their many friends in the sudden death of their youngest child, which died suddenly in its mother's arms on Monday last, while apparently in the best of health.

By the last mail Mr. S. McLeod received the sad intelligence of the sudden death of his father, which took place at his residence on Prince Edward Island. The old gentleman was well advanced in years, but hale and hearty, his death being the result of an accident. Mr. McLeod and his brothers have the sympathy of their many friends here.

On Tuesday evening a large number of our citizens congregated at the station to see the rotary plough come in. One young lady in her anxiety to catch a first glimpse, leaped too far over the platform, and her foot catching in a break in the plank, she was thrown down and across the rail, her foot remaining fast. Sgt. Parker, who was standing by, bravely jumped to the rescue, and succeeded in extricating the young lady just in time, as the plough was within a few feet of them when he picked her up.

The following letter relating to the establishment of a Mechanics and Literary Institute was received last mail by Mr. Buckley and explains the fact. "Referring to the declaration received, signed by yourself and 67 others, with accompanying certificate, relating to the organization of 'The Mechanics' and Literary Institute of Prince Albert' under the provisions of 'The Mechanics' and Literary Institute Ordinance,' I am directed to advise you that the organization of the proposed institute has been approved by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and you are now at liberty to proceed under the provisions of the said Ordinance to the election of the various officers, in the manner prescribed by Section 3 thereof. R. B. Gordon, Clerk of Executive Committee.

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